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Applicant : Dennis M Brown, et al  
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OF MAKING SAME

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of October 31, 2005, please amend the above-identified as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.